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CLEAN UP YOUR YARD----11th

Local Happenings

STONELAW U. F. A.

will hold their meetings during the summer as follows: May, July and September at Stonelaw. June, August and October at Minor. 1st Saturday



CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE

TRANS-CANADA Limited, all standard sleeping cars Trains 7 and 8, between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver, will be resumed first train from Montreal and Vancouver May 2nd.

Times for trains at MONITOR will be

Eastbound

No. 618, daily x Sun, at 11.40am
lv 12.40 pm

Westbound

No. 617, daily x Sun, 3.05 pm

800 - PACIFIC Express, Trains 13 14, between St. Paul and Vancouver will be resumed first train from St. Paul May 29th, first train from Vancouver May 30th, 1920.

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District Passenger Agent,
Calgary.

Sounding Lake U. F. A. general meeting 1st Saturday in each month 8 p.m. at Horse Shoe Schoolhouse.

The W. A. meet at the home of Mrs. A. Grace on Thursday May 13th.

Mr. S. M. Elliot of Calgary was a business visitor of Monitor last week end.

H. A. Warner has accepted the position of Secretary-Treasurer of Monitor School district, in place of Rev. W. S. Wickenden, who has resigned.

Work has commenced on the excavations for the new Bank building and the new Garage that will be erected at the south end of Main Street, facing the station.

We understand that A. J. Deadmarsh intends to start the Monitor Overall Club in the near future. At present Jack wears 'em when no one is looking.

Oil News

Monitor was honored this week by the visitation of two prominent oil men - both of whom are experts in their line. We have it on their authority that drilling outfits have been shipped, the sites arranged for the erection of derricks, etc and when these arrive - the ball starts. Read the "News" for further developments.

WHY POSTMASTERS COMPLAIN

A few facts concerning the Post service of Canada by Canadian Postmasters Association

The Postmasters of Canada have many years been wretchedly paid for the services they render the public owing to the vast increase in the work they have been called upon to perform.

At Confederation a basis of payment by commission upon the revenue of their offices was instituted. You will understand that the revenue of a post office is amount of stamps sold at that office. There are one or two other sources of revenue but they are so small and insignificant that they are not worth consideration. The Confederation scale was about as follows:—

"40% on the first \$800 of revenue 25% on the next \$9,500 and 15% on all revenue over \$10,000. There was a minimum paid to small offices just being opened of \$10 or \$12 per annum. There was also a scale of rent, fuel and light allowance for offices having \$100 of revenue, amounting to \$5.00 per annum for each full \$100 of revenue, up to \$80, then from \$80 to \$2,000, \$20 was added for each full \$400 of extra revenue, over \$2,000 every full \$500 of revenue added \$20."

There are some additional commissions allowed for the sale of Money Orders and Savings Bank Deposits, as these commissions however never fully met the cost of clerical help from the time of Confederation to the present date they may be dismissed and not taken into further account.

Twelve to fourteen hours constitute the Postmasters working day. Only after performing fourteen hours of service and for such time in excess of this is the Postmaster allowed for what is known as Night Duty. There is no time allowed for obtaining meals, even in the smaller offices the regulations require the office to open constantly; then again for Sunday and Night Duty the maximum allowance is \$100 per annum. Several of our Postmasters work almost all day Sunday and some of them have to maintain an all night service costing from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per annum. This is hard endue when men working in other occupations have general speaking been granted an eight hour day and time and a half for overtime, Sunday and holiday work. By the way a Postmaster has no holidays, he has to keep his office open part of the day and receive and dispatch mails as usual and is told that the regulations forbid any further payment than \$100 per annum for all this extra night work and Sunday work.

There are probably 4,000 Minimum Post Offices whose revenues are under \$100 per annum and consequently receive

no rent allowance whatever. The use of a room, light and fuel should be worth at least two or three dollars monthly. Then the graduated scale that is in force as you see deprives Postmasters to rent on the odd amounts between the hundred and in larger offices there is probably \$375 out of \$400 or \$490 out of the \$500 of revenue upon which the Postmaster draws no rent. There is no justification for this and no reason why this amount could not be computed upon a percentage basis the same as salary, however the question of making a rent allowance contingent upon the amount of stamps sold seems absurd. Can you imagine what relation stamp sales have to the cost of coal, light or office rent? Rent, light and fuel should be paid at actual outlay for this service. The Postmasters would then neither make or lose on the transaction. Under the present system generally speaking Postmasters have to draw on their meagre salary payments to cover the extra cost of these essentials.

Notwithstanding the fact that the war is over, the cost of living and labor continues to advance, hundreds of Postmasters are in a dilemma because they have been notified by their assistants that they must increase their salaries or lose their help. We think that the service given by the Canadian Postmasters will compare favorably with that in any other country, so far as we know there is no other country but what has given more consideration in the way of increased payments to Postmasters than Canada. We believe the Public demand increased efficiency, this cannot be given if we have to lose experienced and competent help and substitute new and inexperienced assistants.

Rev. W. S. Wickenden Leaves for England

The Rev. W. S. Wickenden left Monitor on Monday last, en route for England, via New York. He sails from that port on the 22nd inst. There is no one in the community who begrudges Mr. Wickenden his well-earned holiday, as all of us know from personal experience that he has been continually hard at work since his arrival here four years ago. Mr. Wickenden has spent the last ten years in Canada, and feels that he owes his relatives in the Old Country a visit. The News, on behalf of the community, extends to the Rev. Wickenden hearty and sincere wishes for a safe journey over, a splendid holiday and a safe and speedy return to his flock at Monitor. Au revoir.

BOARD OF TRADE HAS MEETING

Many important matters discussed (side) deliver Day, Doctor, Baseball, Clean-Up Day, Hay

The Board of Trade held a well attended meeting in the Public Rest Room on Monday evening last. The reports of various committees were read and discussed. A wire was read to the meeting from Dr. W. Mason, from England, stating that he was on his way here. It is possible that Dr. Mason will arrive in Monitor within the next two or three weeks. Owing to the activities of the Board, Monitor is successful in securing fifteen cars of Hay, from London, Ontario. This hay is timothy and clover, and sells at the car for \$45.00 per ton. Discussion took place regarding the Sports Day to be held here on July 1st, and it was decided that a committee be appointed, consisting of 3 members of the Board of Trade 2 members of the local G. W. V. A. and one representative from each of the U. F. A.'s taking part in the programme. Further information concerning the Sports Day will be given later, but we would say here that this Day promises to be the most successful ever held in this part of Western Canada. It is the object of the Board to keep the prices down to minimum. In the previous few years, the Sports Day has been held here under the auspices of the Red Cross, and for the purpose of raising funds for that splendid organization. Now that the war is over, it is felt that we can return to the pre-war days of sport. We understand there will be no charge for admission to the grounds. Charges for refreshments will be at a minimum as will also be the entry fees for the various races. The matter of the Monitor Baseball club was introduced by the President, by request from some member of the local club. It was moved and seconded that the Monitor Board of Trade will assist in every possible way the Monitor Baseball Club, providing that the said Club goes ahead and organizes, gets out to practice and play ball. At present there is no club. Just a few who practice by throwing a ball about the streets of the village, cannot legitimately be called a club. It is therefore up to those who wish to play baseball here, to get together, elect officers, arrange practices, stop chewing the rag and "play ball". The Board endorsed the suggestion by one of its members that we have a clean up day in Monitor and the matter was referred to the Council with the results that May the 11th was set aside as a general clean up day in town. It is hoped that everyone will do their utmost to clean up their yards, both front and back on that day, not only theirs alone, but their next door lot if that lot happens to be un-

occupied.

The next general meeting of the Board of Trade takes place on the first Monday in June. It is hoped more farmer friends will be in to take an active part in the discussions that take place.

Such matters as the North Road, Dentist, Stock etc. are being acted upon now.

W. A. Social Is Success

The Monitor W. A. held a Supper and Social on the evening of April 30th in the G. W. V. A. Hall which proved to be one of the most successful affairs of its sort that has been held between the walls of the hall. As usual, there were lots of good things to eat, and they were done full justice to. After the supper, games etc were indulged in. During the evening Mrs. Deadmarsh, president, on behalf of the W. A. presented the Rev. W. S. Wickenden with a handsome full leather travelling set. The W. A. expressed the wish that Mr. Wickenden would soon return, and when he did, that he would not return alone. Mr. Wickenden, who taken completely by surprise replied in a few words of thanks and appreciation.

The proceeds of the evening, which were to be devoted to the purchase price of the Church funds, amounted to \$55.00 which practically clears the Church of debt in that line. As a matter of fact, it is really remarkable what a splendid showing the St. Laurence Church can make, when one stops to consider the four hundred years that we have just passed through. If things keep on this year the way they have started, the Church will be self-supporting by the end of the year.

The ladies of the W. A. wish to express their thanks for the remarkable and splendid support accorded them at this social and supper.

Mothers' Day - May 9

Mother

Written for Mothers Day for The News
"Her children rise up and call her blessed"
The sweetest name in human ears
The name we liped in earliest years
The name that soothes in death's dark fears

Smile! The smile that first shone in our eyes
The voice in which love never dies
The heart of gold—pure as the skies

Smile! The patience of an angel kind
The strength of will, the steadfast mind

Smile! The Love that conquers all we find

Smile! God grant that as the years fly past
Our gratitude may grow and last
May life's best blessings on her path be cast

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Rehabilitating the World

The Supreme Council of the League of Nations is making substantial progress with the difficult task entrusted to it of disentangling the complex rascals which for so long have been held subject to the Sultan under the tyranny of the despotic and murderous Turks. Europe and Asia present many international, racial and religious problems, but none quite so difficult of solution as that of the old Turkish empire. It is easy to criticize Great Britain and France because of the decision to leave the Turks in Constantinople, but it is not so easy to outline an alternative policy likely to prove successful and not provoke a still more serious situation, and one that might have far-reaching results of a disastrous character. However, the power of the Turk is destroyed, and an end is in sight to the long chapter of Ottoman misrule, rapine and murder.

Having been rescued from the domination of the Turks by the victorious British armies, Palestine and Mesopotamia have been entrusted to Great Britain to be administered under a mandate from the League of Nations, and a national home for the Jews is being established under the protection of the Union Jack. France is given a mandate for the administration of Syria, and the United States has been asked to accept the mandate for oppressed and downtrodden Armenia. Thus to the three most powerful of the allied nations, those enjoying the most democratic forms of government, and actuated by the loftiest ideals, is given the humane and civilizing work of bringing a new era of happiness and prosperity to millions of people who for centuries have been little more than slaves, with life and property in hourly danger of extinction by the unspcakable Turk.

In this column last week reference was made to the gigantic financial problems which must be solved by the people of Canada, and it is possible that before this appears in print the budget will have been presented at Ottawa and the policy of the Government indicated as to how the national obligations are to be met. It is inevitable that there must be a further increase in taxation, and Canadians must be prepared for it. But grave as our position in Canada may be, and heavy the burdens to be borne,

they are slight in comparison to those of other lands and peoples.

The German budget was recently presented to the Reichstag. The financial burden which the people of Germany must meet in some form or another this year reaches the stupendous total of \$2,500,000,000 marks, or, roughly speaking, \$13,000,000,000, or more than four times the gross national debt of Canada. Dr. Wirth, the German Finance Minister, frankly admits he is at a loss to know how the money is to be raised or where it is to come from.

Italy is carrying an enormous debt. It was heavy before the war, and has been increased many times over. The government and people are meeting it courageously, and a loan of 20,000,000,000 lire has just been raised by the Italian people.

France, too, has recently floated a loan among its own people of 15,000,000,000 francs, or an amount equal to the national debt of Canada. The French parliament is now engaged in passing measures which will enormously increase the taxation imposed on the French people.

With a national debt of approximately \$40,000,000,000, Great Britain has started on the great task of paying it off. No further borrowings will be made, but taxation is being substantially increased. This year British revenue is estimated at \$7,000,000,000, or more than double our national debt. This great revenue will provide for a reduction in the British national debt of at least \$1,000,000,000, while in 1921 it is estimated that a further reduction of \$1,500,000,000 will be made.

Canada has not yet made a start at debt reduction; on the contrary the debt is still increasing. This must stop, and the work of liquidation of the national debt begun. It can only be accomplished by this Dominion following the example of other countries—curtailing expenditures wherever possible and increasing revenues by increasing taxation. The people must be prepared for this and must accept it without any complaint. There is no other way out. The longer the debt is allowed to stand, the heavier the burden will become. People realize this in their individual affairs; they must appreciate the fact that it is equally true in their national business.

Notwithstanding the wholesale destruction of the last five years, and the enormous burdens of debt and taxation, which must now be borne, the world is still the gainer, because the Great War was the operation whereby the cancer of militarism and the ever-increasing burden of military and naval armaments was cut out of the world's body. The cost of the operation must now be paid for, but the cure affected will give renewed life and vigor to the world, and, by relieving it of an intolerable burden, will ultimately add to its prosperity and the comfort and happiness of all people.

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Buy Alberta Ranching Lands

A tract of land containing 3,338 acres, near Vermilion, has been purchased by the Big Bend Land & Cattle Company of Spokane, Wash., from the Vermilion Land and Ranching Company, for approximately \$130,000. The company, which operates large tracts of land in the United States and Canada, intends placing a large herd of well-bred cattle on the land this summer as well as developing part of it for grain growing.

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Canadian Ships Carried Nearly All Own Grain

Some interesting figures dealing with the total export of Canadian grains in Canadian ships as compared with the export in the United States vessels were given in the house in reply to a question from A. B. Copp, (Westmoreland). Sir George Foster said 95.55 percent of wheat exported was carried in Canadian bottoms as well as 85.94 percent of export oats, and 89.65 percent of barley.

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Development at Prince Rupert

New York capital has secured control of the lease of the Prince Rupert dry dock and plans big development work, included in which is the construction of twenty large oil tank steamers to cost approximately \$36,000,000.

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Stock Raising in B.C.

Breeders of the Province Are Going In For Purebred Cattle

The breeding of purebred stock for export, is believed to be a coming industry in British Columbia. Development of this new industry is bringing new breeders into the province. New herds are being brought together, the owners of which have a guarantee that there will be an abundant market for blue-blooded cattle, not only locally and in the other provinces and adjoining states, but as well in Hawaii, Australia and New Zealand.

Several head of purebred Holstein cattle have been sent to Australia from British Columbia recently, and it is said that Australian stockmen are planning to send their representatives to Canada for the purpose of securing registered Hereford, Holstein and Jersey cattle.

W. N. U. 1314

Korean Alphabet

Consists of Fourteen Consonants and Eleven Vowels

One of the first acts of Japan, upon taking over Korea, was to forbid the printing of books in anything but Japanese characters. On-mun, the script of Korea, is altogether different from the language of China and Japan, and was at first despised because it was "so easy that even women could learn it in a month." The script is ascribed by Korean annals to the year 1447, when the King of Korea, resolving to assert his independence by abandoning the use of Chinese writing as the official medium of correspondence, invented an alphabet to suit the special requirements of the vernacular. The Korean alphabet consists of fourteen consonants and eleven vowels. The characters are of an extreme simplicity, contrasting strongly with the complex Chinese. There are no pronouns of the first and second person, the third, with relational particles, serving for both.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

Exports From Alberta

An increase of approximately seven million dollars in exports to the United States from Alberta in 1919, is shown in the report of the United States consul at Calgary. Cattle, wool, grain, butter and furs, constituted the chief articles of export.

Trumpets were in use at the time of Homer.

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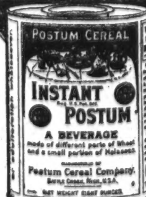
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Agricultural Schools Aid in Solving the Rural Problem

Half a century ago the educational needs of our rural people were almost negligible. We were then in the pioneer stage. Today, education is a prime requisite for success in agriculture. We are now past the pioneer period and are striving for larger returns from labor, and a fuller, more contented rural life for our families. To secure larger returns it is necessary that we learn how to farm properly; to acquire the fuller life in the country we must know our duties toward our fellow men. The growing and husbanding of crops is important, but a broad culture for every man, woman and child is more so if life and labor in rural communities is to be remunerative and otherwise attractive.

The Canadian rural problem is very largely a question of agricultural production. To bring about better living conditions we must revise our methods of agriculture. Soil exploitation must be superseded by scientific tillage based on known principles; the fertility of our fields must be maintained, and depleted soils must be built up. In short, our youth must be schooled in the science and art of farming. Scientific agriculture is a partial solution only; we must go farther. Our rural people are not living to themselves alone, as in pioneer days. It is now our duty to understand our social problems, which are many, and these must be solved in order that country life will attract and hold an adequate population.

To bring about the betterment of rural conditions necessitates the preparation of leaders who must be trained, in theory and practice, for their work in rural communities. These leaders must know conditions as they actually exist; and who are better able to grasp the situation than the sons and daughters of the farm? These men and women, when given the advantages of an education, will accomplish this purpose. But here is our difficulty; our colleges and universities are closed to these people who have not had the required preparatory education. Their elementary schooling is deficient. They know nothing of high school subjects and they have not complied with the entrance requirements to higher institutions of learning. In many cases the most capable of the young people have already reached maturity, and cannot be expected to go through the years of preliminary training necessary to fit them for a college course. Some other scheme of training is required.

The educational system of Denmark the land of enlightened farmers, has made a strong appeal to Canadians. This system has lifted the peasantry to a prominent place in the national

life; it has shaped the agricultural policy of the people, and has raised Denmark to an exalted position among the producing nations of Europe. The principles which have contributed to the agricultural prosperity in that country are worthy of our emulation.

The local agricultural schools of Denmark, numbering 23 regular and three special institutions, as well as a dozen schools of household economy, have sprung from the folk high schools. With their contiguous experimental farms they form a system of rural educational centres complete enough to furnish a broad general culture, properly balanced with the practical and technical. Students from 19 to 35 years of age, whose preliminary training is equal and whose interests are similar, attend and study for the pleasure of learning what will fit them for their life work. These young folks become self reliant and well developed mentally and physically. The dormitory plan of student life gives them the assurance and poise necessary for leadership, while the gymnastics and farm practice maintain physical vigor. The product of these institutions is their best recommendation.

On his return from a recent trip from Europe Dr. J. W. Robertson expressed himself strongly in favor of a system of education for the farming people of Canada such as is followed in Denmark. The young men and women of Canada's rural districts need the training procurable through a term or two in an agricultural school where similar interests and a common endeavour, are inspiring the whole student body on to higher achievement. The dormitory life enhances their ambitions, weans them from the petty non-essentials of life, and through the exchange of ideas among this consolidated group of students in a wholesome environment, each one learns to consider the views of the other. It is not advocated that we accept the Danish system literally, but we can with profit adopt her principles of education and build up, on a similar foundation, a superstructure which will meet the needs of our rural communities.

In addition to local agricultural schools providing instruction in the fundamental principles of agriculture, they will relieve the congestion at present experienced in some of the agricultural colleges where the enrollment of the first two years is taxing both the staff and the accommodation. The work covered being similar to the two years' course at the colleges, these schools should act as preparatory schools for those students who desire to go further and specialize in the various branches of agricultural science.—The Agricultural Gazette.

The Farmer's Best Friends

Value and Importance to Agriculture
Of Bird Life

One of the outstanding addresses at the recent Ontario Education Association meeting, was that by Mr. Jock Miner on "The Ways and Intelligence of Our Birds." Mr. Miner is a well known naturalist, and as founder of Point Pelee Bird Sanctuary, is in a position to talk authoritatively on his chosen subject.

It is extremely doubtful if we have begun to realize the importance and value of birds. They have been described as the best friends of the farmer, and certainly they well deserve the name. A man does not require to have much experience in farm life to know that he must fight all sorts and conditions of insect pests at all times and at all seasons. Much good can be done by spraying and by other artificial means of combating insects and bugs, but the greatest agency for their extermination are the feathered friends of the farmer. Through long months of the year from early morning till late at night they busy themselves exterminating the pests which seek to destroy the farmer's crops. Surely the least we can do in return is to give them a sanctuary, or if that is not possible, then to look upon them as friends and good neighbors rather than as enemies to be destroyed. In many cases the shooting of birds is due to thoughtlessness. But it is a poor sport to kill these innocent creatures, and, more than that, their destruction is a direct injury to the farmer. If our birds failed to appear for a single season we should face starvation.

Farm Butter Making

The Creamery System Should Be
Practiced More Generally

Methods used in buttermaking at experimental stations and in creameries are too valuable not to be used more generally on the farms.

Considering the large quantity of butter made on the farms, it would mean a great saving if the creamery system should be practiced more generally. To obtain practically all the cream from the milk and have it in the best condition requires the use of a cream separator. Cream should be kept as cold as possible until the time for ripening (12 hours before churning) when it should be warmed to from 65 to 75 degrees Fahrenheit and held at that temperature until it thickens and has a mild acid flavor.

When cream has ripened at the above temperature it should be cooled quickly to churning temperature. This temperature depends upon the season of the year and other factors, but it is usually from 52 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit in the summer and from 58 to 66 degrees Fahrenheit in the winter. When cream is properly prepared it usually requires from 30 to 40 minutes to churn it at the right temperature. There is no short cut in churning and undesirable results may be expected when such is undertaken. The churn should be stopped when the butter granules are the size of grains of wheat. While in the granular condition, butter should be washed with pure water about the same temperature as the buttermilk. The buttermilk should be washed out not worked out. Salt should be added at the rate of three-fourths of an ounce to the pound of butter. The butter should be carefully worked until the salt is evenly distributed, and a solid, smooth body is formed. To overwork it produces a salty body with greasy appearance and injures the keeping qualities. Butter that is to be marketed should be in prints, wrapped in parchment paper, and enclosed in paraffined cartons.

Manitoba Wheat Acreage

About 3,000,000 acres are available for wheat cultivation in Manitoba this year. The average yield of wheat for the last ten years is 17 bushels an acre. The 3,000,000 wheat crop area on this computation would turn out a 51,000,000 bushels yield. In 1919 the total wheat production was 40,975,300, an average of 15 bushels to the acre.

India and Ceylon tea are graded according to the position of the leaf on the plant, the lower the leaf the poorer the quality.

The Efficiency of Canadian Methods in The Handling of Grain

Behind all the wonderful growth and progress of Canada, the development of her natural resources of minerals, or forests, river, lake, or sea, back of the energy, enterprise and faith that have built her railroads and industries and factories, may fairly be said to stand as her greatest asset, the vast wheat growing plains of the West. To their fertility and production is due the fact that Canada today is one of the leading nations in the quantity of grain, the staple source of human nourishment, which she is able to export to less fortunate countries. In fact, pending the recovery of Russia, Canada is at the moment the second principal grain exporter of the world.

To collect, sort and distribute to the world this vast annual grain crop from the wide flung areas of its origin to the distant seaboard, whence ocean steamships may carry it to feed the millions of densely populated overseas countries, Canada has built up a gigantic system and plant, and perhaps few Canadians realize how far their country today outstrips all other countries of the British Empire in the thoroughness and efficiency of her grain handling system.

Some realization of this fact is obtained when we note that other great and progressive Dominion of the Empire—Australia—has only within very recent years begun to study up-to-date methods of storing and moving her grain crop. A large proportion of this is still handled by the cumbersome and most costly method of bagging, with no better storage facilities than the vast stacks of bags with all the attendant wastage and loss from damp and vermin, and with primitive methods of grading and marketing the wheat. This involves all the difficulties of maintaining the identity of the grower from the point of shipment to the purchaser and with all its lack of economy of labor, car capacity and storage space, loss to the purchaser (bag being sold at wheat) and other defects too numerous to detail.

Or, again, the movement of a consignment of wheat by the clean-cut up-to-date bulk-handling system of Canada, from the grower to the hold of an ocean steamship, whereby taking advantage of the flowing properties of grain, it is loaded, cleaned, weighed, moved, stored, reloaded and transhipped without once calling upon the "main strength and awkwardness" of hand labor, and may, with pardonable pride, be compared with its too frequent fate on discharge at a European port where the writer has seen it dumped on the floor of a dirty sight shed, thence to be laboriously shoveled into a horse-drawn wagon for the transhipment to ancient rat-infested warehouses.

It is of interest, therefore, to enquire into what constitutes this chain of machinery, which, by way of railroad, lake, canal, and dockside, connects the prairie with the ocean.

We have referred to the "flowing" properties of grain and the entire plant is marketed analogous to that of some huge water supply system. We have for our water sheds and contributory streams the great wheat fields of the West; the country elevators form the collecting points from

whence our pipe lines (the railroads) lead to great storage reservoirs (the interior and terminal storage elevators), thence main supply culverts (the railroads, lake and canal systems), to the service reservoirs (the tide-water terminal elevators) whence discharge-pipes (the belt galleries and loading spouts at docksides) deliver to the consumer (via the steamship hold) in place of the sluices, tanks, turbines, pumps, valves, motors, etc., of a water supply system, we have at appropriate points on the chain, such units as hoppers to receive grain, marine logs to remove it from vessels, bucket elevators to raise it to a height at which the energy of gravity is available for its further movement and distribution, measuring and weighing machinery to check it on receipt and delivery, belt conveyors to move it swiftly from one point on a system to another, bins in which to store it secure from damage whilst awaiting shipment, sale or favorable markets, spouts through which to pour it into the railroad car or ship's hold.

This great Canadian bulk-handling system starts right from the wheat field, at the thrasher which spouts the grain into farm wagons, by which it is drawn either to the farmer's storage bin (or silo) or to the country elevators, scattered on railroad points throughout the wheat growing districts. The farmer delivers his grain subsequently, the government inspector classifies it into one of several grades and issues to the grower a certificate which will entitle him to the market price of that quantity and quality when the certificate is sold on the grain exchange (note that all further necessity for maintaining the identity of the grower of any particular parcel is thereby obviated, in which particular the bulk-handling system differs from any other). These scattered elevators (with capacities from 15,000 to 50,000 bushels) are supplemented by large interior houses at big centres such as Winnipeg, where inspected grain is accumulated for train load shipments, and thence again by the great terminal elevators, where grain may be stored for transshipment as ordered for sale or exportation.

To relieve congestion on the connecting links of these systems (the railroads) during the rush season following the Western harvest, an intermediate link has now been introduced in the steamship routes across the Great Lakes, where specially constructed vessels carry the grain from and to terminal houses at the Western and Eastern ports. There is also another auxiliary transportation link by canal and river barge. At all points of transshipment large storage units are provided, thereby relieving congestion and the tying up of railroad cars and allowing grain to be held at suitable points so as to prevent flooding of tide-water terminal facilities.

At many interior and terminal houses, cleaning and drying machinery is installed which increases the keeping properties and market value of the grain. All the above facilities are therefore of the greatest mutual benefit to the producer, the transportation companies, the purchaser and the ultimate consumer.

Saskatchewan's Army Bill

\$25,000,000 Paid Out Since District
Was Created in 1916

Records of military district No. 12 which comprises the province of Saskatchewan, shows that sum of \$25,000,000 has been paid out since the district was created in 1916. Of this \$15,000,000 was paid directly to the soldiers in the province while training for service. Over \$5,000,000 was paid in gratuities exclusive of sums paid to soldiers' dependents. To date about 25,000 men have been discharged in Saskatchewan. The greatest strength at any one time was 9,000. The total number of soldiers who enlisted from the province is estimated at 35,000. The present strength in the district is 150, and this will dwindle to 70 within a few weeks.

The Hay Shortage

Saskatchewan Government May Enter
Feed Business

During the period from last August until April 10 the Saskatchewan government has aided farmers who were short of feed in securing the free transportation of 10,429 carloads of feed. In addition the free transport of 825 carloads of haying machinery was arranged in conjunction with the feed shortage in certain parts of the province.

Hay is now selling at \$100 a ton in certain parts of northern Saskatchewan, although it can be purchased in Eastern Canada and laid down here at between \$45 and \$50 a ton if the farmers only knew it. To overcome the shortage the agricultural department of the provincial government will likely enter the feed business as a temporary measure.

Okanagan Fruit Report

Volume of Business Transacted During the Year Amounted
to \$2,179,979

The wonderful development of the Okanagan Valley as a fruit-growing centre was reflected in the reports presented at the annual meeting of the Okanagan United Growers held at Vernon. This is the central selling agency for the seven co-operative fruit unions of the Okanagan. The volume of business transacted during the past year amounted to \$2,179,979, an increase of \$500,000 over that of the previous year. During the past season the export trade in apples has shown a higher tonnage than in 1918. Heavy shipments were made to New York and other American points, and Eastern Canadian centres absorbed a considerable portion of the output. Crab apples from this district found a ready market in the United States last year. Heavy shipments of apples were made to New Zealand, Australia and to Great Britain. Fruit growers express the opinion that the present year's fruit crop will be largely in excess of last year's provided natural conditions are favorable, because there is a much larger acreage under fruit and there will be no scarcity of labor.

Purebred Cattle Sales

Noted Livestock Auctioneer, J. W.
Durno, of Calgary, Will
Officiate

Entries have begun to come in for the purebred cattle sale to be held at Saskatoon on June 2 and 3 under the auspices of the Saskatchewan Cattle Breeders' Association. This is the first purebred sale to be held in the University city by this association, and prospects are very promising for this opening sale. J. W. Durno, of Calgary, the noted livestock auctioneer, has wired that he will attend and a wire has been received from R. S. Hamer, chief of the cattle division, agricultural department, Ottawa stating that he will be present for the purpose of purchasing some of the stock offered. Mr. Hamer purchased 27 bulls at the Regina cattle sale, and his presence will mean a good deal to the breeders who are fitting up stock for this sale.

Short horns will lead in the entries, with Aberdeen Angus in second place, and Hereford third, according to present indications. There will be at least a dozen Red Polls offered while there were none at the Regina sale.

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Before Commercial Aviation in Canada Can Progress

There can be little hope for progress in commercial aviation in Canada until the municipal or other governments start constructing "harbors" for aeroplanes, with landing places and airdromes. This was the statement made by Lieut.-Col. W. G. Barker, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., etc., at the annual meeting of the Montreal Branch of the Aerial League of the British Empire, which was held in the ball room of the Ritz-Carlton, in the course of an address on aeronautical topics.

In his address Lt.-Col. Barker, V.C., gave a sketch of the amazing growth of aviation during the war, from the days when airplanes had a speed of only sixty miles an hour, and a very limited time capacity for flying, with armaments running from rifles to revolvers.

From these beginnings, he said, the flying corps had developed machines capable of 130 miles an hour with a flying range of many hundreds of miles, and armaments of machine guns and bombs that made them so formidable war weapons.

"So greatly had the British airplane service developed," said Lt.-Col. Barker, "that if the war had lasted a few months longer the people of Berlin would have had a taste of the same aerial bombing warfare they had so ruthlessly carried on against British and French cities. They knew this, and it is altogether probable that this knowledge was a great influence in compelling the Germans to ask for the armistice that ended the war."

As a result of the war experience Lt.-Col. Barker said that an air convention had been held at Paris, when rules for air service had been laid down, and adopted by most European countries, and by Canada. The United States had not joined this convention, and as a result had no air rules. If such rules had been in force he felt certain that the recent disaster at Newark would have been avoided. He also welcomed the news that Canada was to have a military air force, which would utilize the services of the thousands of returned Canadian aviators, and prevent the loss to the Dominion of their invaluable experience.

Lt.-Col. Barker pointed out especially the value of the air service in keeping up communications and carrying mails, and said that the recent great railway strike in England had largely been defeated by the mobilization of the Royal Air Force.

The trouble in Canada was that they had air regulations without air machines, but he hoped to see development along military, commercial and industrial lines, if only a supply of "harbors" for airplanes could be established. It was the lack of such accommodation, he said, that put Montreal behind other large Canadian cities in aerial development.

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Reconstructing The Old World

Pledge of Great Britain in Respect to Palestine Has Been Made Good

There was great rejoicing throughout Christendom when the British armies entered Jerusalem. The Turks were put to flight and the Cross superseded the Crescent in the Holy Land. That joy was extended to Jewish people in all parts of the world when the British government made its historic declaration that, following the conclusion of peace, a Jewish nation would be re-constituted in the ancient home of the race.

This great British victory, and the pledge of the British Government, has now been made good by the action of the Supreme Council under the League of Nations conferring on Great Britain a mandate for the administration of Palestine and Mesopotamia; and the acceptance by Great Britain of the great responsibility which such a mandate imposes upon her. France is given a mandate for the administration of Syria, and the United States has been asked to accept the mandate for Armenia. Thus to the three most enlightened and democratic nations in the world is entrusted the task of restoring order, guaranteeing freedom and justice, and rehabilitating these long-oppressed portions of the old Turkish empire.

It yet remains to be seen, of course whether the United States will accept the mandate for the administration of Armenia; but surely the humane and Christian sentiment of the American people will insist that the big republic will not shirk the duty to mankind involved in acceptance of this mandate, and the association of the United States with Great Britain and France in the final removal of one of the World's oldest sores. Especially may acceptance by the United States be looked for in view of the keen interest displayed by the American press and people in the territories so long under Turkish tyranny and misrule as evidenced by the scathing criticism which has been voiced relative to the decision to leave the Turk in Constantinople. The United States can hardly continue to voice criticism of other nations in their attitude towards the Turk if the United States itself refuses to accept any responsibility in the matter.

It is a significant fact that organized labor, both in Great Britain and the United States, is taking the larger view in relation to all international problems. The British Labor Party urged the British Government to accept the mandate for Palestine and Mesopotamia, notwithstanding that it will involve large responsibilities and heavy expense for the British people. And Samuel Gompers, speaking for the American Federation of Labor, declares that "America cannot forever play the part of a peevish child in international relations," and that, "the affairs of the world are the concern of the United States," and that there can no longer be "any such thing as absolute divorce from what transpires elsewhere."

The old Turkish empire, the plague spot of the world, is hopelessly shattered. Its dominion over millions of formerly subject races is ended; its power of evil, with its blood-red trail of murder and rapine, is destroyed. Under its blighting misrule, one of the garden spots of the world was made a desert. Now the hope arises that once again this fruitful section of the world, the cradle of the human race, the Holy Land of the Bible, will blossom and flourish and become the home of a happy, contented and prosperous people, living under the protection of the entwined flags of Great Britain, France and the United States.—Regina Leader.

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W. D. Craig, of Regina, has just completed the purchase of a fully equipped section of land seven miles south of the city. The purchase price is reported to be more than \$60,000 or approximately \$100 an acre. Mr. Craig will put 400 acres in crop on the section this year, making a total of 1,800 acres of his holdings under crop. The section was practically bought for cash.

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Alberta's Growth

Some idea of the progress that the province of Alberta has made during the past seven years, may be gleaned from the statistics as obtained by the staff of the Wigley Directory, Limited. This information shows that no less than 593 villages and settlements have been established since 1913. In that year a report on the province was secured, which showed that a total of 1,272 cities, towns, villages and settlements had been created, while today, Alberta can boast of 1,870.

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British Minister Departs from China

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The coming and going of the foreign representatives is not often of interest to any but their own nations; but this is not true of the departure of the retiring British Minister, Sir John Jordan. He had spent 43 years in China and had risen from the lowest rank of a consular language student to the highest position in the gift of his government. He spent the last 14 years as minister in Peking, and came to be regarded as a friend by every resident of the Far East, irrespective of nationality. He was highly respected by the Chinese, even though he had known well how to maintain the interests of his own countrymen when they were in jeopardy. His long life in China has added much to the prestige of his country for fair dealing and upright living.

Desert Land and Desert Sea

A portion of the journey between Sydney, the New South Wales capital, and Broken Hill, the mining heart of Australia, lies over waterless, and hot country. Lieutenant Sydney Pickles, who has shown the feasibility of an air service between the two cities, saw no landmark as he crossed the barren stretch and so had to use his compass. Describing the pioneer flight, he compared the interminable rolling land before him to the gray, lonely wastes of the North Sea, which he had patrolled in his seaplane.

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Air Force Applications

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Applications are going in at the offices of the Air Board at Ottawa, at the rate of fifty and sixty a day for enlistment in the new Canadian Air Force. All the applications are from ex-officers in the Royal Air Force. Preparations are already under way at Camp Borden, Ontario, for the establishment of the first training camp of the force. Officers of the new force will train at camp Borden in periods of a month or so at a time. There are adequate facilities there for the training of nearly three thousand men at a time. The equipment installed by the Royal Air Force at Camp Borden has been taken over by the Canadian Government for the use of the Canadian force, including eighteen hangars and substantial permanent building. The building of this flying base cost the Imperial government \$1,000,000 and comprises an up-to-date aerodrome and barracks.

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Great Changes In Britain Are Wrought by War

Atlantic City, N.J.—Changes have been wrought by the war in Great Britain which "almost deserve the title of revolution," said Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the U. S., in an address before the annual convention of the United States, Chamber of Commerce. Vast new classes have been enfranchised, he said, and the working classes, strong-anti-militaristic, now hold "ultimate political power."

"They seek to limit the nation's power," he said, "to secure tranquility in Asia Minor, in Asia and Africa. Silently and without fuss, the army has been reduced to a strength which many think barely sufficient to police the empire. The people are determined to deal with problems of health, housing and education. They see clearly that to secure their purpose they have to end the rancors and animosities that have torn Europe and brought her to the brink of destruction."

Reports of dissensions between the representatives of Britain and France and Italy at San Remo were "fantastic," the ambassador assured the chamber.

"The great question you have to decide," he continued, "is this: Are you going to stand by and wait for Europe's troubles to come after you, as they will, or are you going out to help Europe—and remember, I am excluding the European part of the British commission of nations—to win through to reasonable conditions?"

Calgary Editor Honored

J. H. Woods is Made Chevalier of the Order of Leopold

Calgary.—J. H. Woods, editor and managing director of the Calgary Herald, has been created a chevalier of the Order of Leopold by King Albert of Belgium, and on behalf of his majesty the star of the order was presented to him by H. DeBurel, Belgian consul at Calgary, at a public ceremony. The honor was conferred on Mr. Woods because of his signal services during the war as the secretary-treasurer of the Belgian relief committee for southern Alberta. Addresses were made at the ceremony by Mayor R. C. Marshall and A. Allen, the chairman of the Belgian Relief Committee, and Mrs. Harold Riley of the women's auxiliary of the committee.

Tank Steamers Awarded to U.S.
London.—The eight tank steamers, which have been the subject of a long discussion by the reparations commission of the peace conference as to what nation should receive them, have been awarded to the United States for temporary management.

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Will Evacuate German Towns

Whole German Force in Ruhr District Must Be Reduced to 10,000 by June 10

Paris.—Premier Millerand, in making a declaration to the chamber of deputies on the results of the supreme council meeting at San Remo, said that the Frankfurt and Darmstadt territories would be evacuated by the French as soon as the allied commissions had established that the German armed force over the number allowed by the convention of August, 1919, had been withdrawn.

The whole German forces in the Ruhr region, the premier declared, must be reduced to 10,000 men by June 10 next, and by July 10 all the German soldiers must be withdrawn and replaced by a police force of 10 thousand men.

"I said at San Remo," M. Millerand continued, "and I repeat it here, now, that it is a crime and stupidity to believe that France desires to annex any fresh German territory."

"The details of the treaty with Turkey cannot be divulged before Turkey's plenipotentiaries come to Paris on May 10, but I can say that the treaty is in conformity with the outline already made public, the Turks being maintained in Constantinople and in the territories in which they are in the majority."

"An appeal has been sent to President Wilson asking him if his country cannot take up the mandate for Armenia, at least to collaborate in the fixing of the frontiers of the new state."

In conclusion, M. Millerand declared that upon leaving San Remo, the allies were more united than ever.

"If I may be permitted to say it, especially the entente between France and her sister of the Latin race is closer than ever," he said.

The premier's remarks received deep attention, but no enthusiasm was displayed in the chamber.

May Redeem Property

Vancouver Court Refuses To Grant Foreclosure Before Opportunity is Given

Vancouver, B. C.—German holders of Vancouver property will be given a fair chance to avoid foreclosure and the right to redeem, according to a ruling made in the supreme court by Justice MacDonald. Before the war, Countess Mira Dornhoff, Countess Elsa Fomhoff and Count Bigoslav Dornhoff, of Berlin, Germany, purchased an apartment house in this city for \$90,000, paying \$36,000 cash and assuming a mortgage. The amount remaining unpaid amounts to \$22,000, and today a local firm asked for foreclosure. The defendants are asking for delay to enable a defence to be entered, and this the judge was inclined to grant.

Protest Against Canadian Cattle

The minister of agriculture received another influential deputation protesting against the permission given some time ago for the importation of a hundred Friesian cattle from Canada and expressing fear that the importation of other herds would be sanctioned. The deputation was told that the reasons were exceptional and a strict quarantine would be imposed, and assured that there was no intention of relaxing the restrictions against store cattle.

Thrift Conference

Calgary.—The first Dominion thrift conference will be held in Calgary on June 3, 4 and 5. Every women's organization in the country and the federal and provincial governments are being invited to send delegates.

Potato Boycott

Stratford, Ont.—Some three hundred women at a meeting in the city hall pledged themselves not to buy any potatoes for one month unless offered at \$3 a bag.

Japanese Massacred

Warships Are Rushed to Eastern Siberia With Troops

Washington.—Japanese guards in the district of Nikolaevsk, eastern Siberia, are believed to have been annihilated and several hundred Japanese residents, including the Japanese consul there, massacred, according to an official statement issued by the Japanese foreign office, and made public today by the state department.

The Japanese statement says the suspension of communication with the district rendered it impossible to get at the real state of affairs, but that it was evident that a serious upheaval had taken place. Efforts of the Japanese to despatch military relief expeditions into the district had failed because of the ice. Nonetheless, however, the Japanese have sent an expedition to Alexandrovsk, accompanied by the warships Mikasa and Mishima. The forces reached their destination on April 22 and found the Japanese residents in that district safe. Most of them were taken aboard the Mikasa.

Cost of Victory Loan

Canvassers Were Paid Million Dollars in Commissions

Ottawa.—A total of \$1,110,402.37 was paid out by minister of finance in commissions to canvassers and brokers who handled the last Victory Loan. These fees ran proportionally higher in Quebec province than elsewhere; \$352,952.17 was paid on this head in Quebec, representing 22 per cent of the total subscriptions to the loan. In Nova Scotia \$37,575 was paid out, or 20 per cent of the subscriptions. In Saskatchewan the figures are \$38,900, or 18 per cent; in New Brunswick \$27,500, or 17 per cent; in Ontario \$38,670, or 13 per cent; in Manitoba \$54,200, or 13 per cent; in Alberta \$19,150, or 11 per cent; and in British Columbia \$22,455 or 6 per cent. Prince Edward Island did not cost the federal government anything in brokerage or commissions.

Lord Mayor of Dublin Returns

Released from Wormwood Scrubs; But Was Threatened With Rearrest if he Returned

Dublin.—Tom T. Kelly, lord mayor of Dublin and Sinn Féin member of parliament, who was released from Wormwood Scrubs prison in England because of ill health, has returned to Dublin. It is said that he will not be able to take office because of the effects of his incarceration. He had been under arrest since May 25, 1916, on charges growing out of the Irish revolt of that year.

A despatch from London—February 17, said Kelly's release was due to his state of health. Order of internment, it was added, was not revoked, and it was stated that Kelly was informed he would be arrested again if he made attempt to return to Ireland. During his convalescence Kelly was ordered to report his movements to the authorities.

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Make Increased Demands

Advance in Wages of 25 Percent Is Demanded by the Winnipeg Building Trades

Winnipeg.—Demands for a straight increase of 25 per cent in wages was made by the building trade workers before the public meeting of the provincial fair wage board held today. General dissatisfaction was expressed against the proposed schedule of wages arrived at by the board. A. Cameron, of the carpenter's union, made the declaration that unless more wages are granted the building trade workers of the city, there will be a general migration to the States and other centres where the wages are higher and the cost of living lower. It was claimed that the costs of living had increased 133 per cent since 1914, by delegates to the meeting of the board. Working on this basis the general rate of wages should be \$1.50 per hour instead of around \$1.25.

The fundamental cause for all strikes, said James Winning, former president of the Trades and Labor council, is the long time that is taken by various boards in conducting negotiations and arriving at some decision. He objected to the fair wage board making its findings public until after the builders' exchange has presented its schedule to the workers.

Ex-Governor of Kiel Arrested

Berlin.—Rear-Admiral Von Levetow, former governor of Kiel, has been arrested and sent to Leipzig, according to a brief message from Kiel received by the Lokal Anzeiger. His removal was beset with great difficulties, as attempts were made to assault him by the crowds.

Fiume Again Blokaded

Communications to the Town Have Now Been Completely Severed

Trieste.—The blockage which Fiume is now undergoing is admittedly the most severe to which it has been subjected. The communications of the town have been completely cut off, regular Italian troops tearing up sections of the railway and bringing up numbers of machine guns to guard the frontiers. Passage in and out of the city is absolutely forbidden, not even milk going in, and connection with the outside world by the sea route has been completely severed. Gabriele D'Annunzio, the insurgent commander-in-chief, is threatening counter action.

Make Own Arrangements

Victoria.—Pilots here claim they have not been informed of the government's decision to declare open pilotage in British Columbia waters after May 6. In that event they are prepared to carry on with their own organization and will make their own arrangements with the shipping interests.

Canada's Assets Have Increased

Ottawa.—A return tabled in the house of commons shows that Canada's total assets at the end of 1919 were \$1,087,537,461.27, on which the country received as interest \$15,732,775.29 or 1.46 per cent. This rate was more than twice as high as in 1918, when the country received as interest \$7,421,001.58, on total assets of \$1,102,104,692.33.

Allies on Rhine

London.—The number of British troops on the Rhine is approximately 14,000 according to a statement made in the house of commons by Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for war. There are 25,000 French troops in that district, 16,000 United States and 20,000 Belgian.

New York.—Letters received here state that M. Zinovief, Bolshevik governor of Petrograd, has been assassinated by a Russian workman.

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London.—The United States senate

Irish resolution was brought up in the house of commons and drew several pointed questions. Ronald MacNeil, Unionist member for the Canterbury division of Kent, asked the government if it had "any official information regarding a manifesto to be issued in Washington by an organization known as the Philippine Commission for independence, in which it is maintained that American belief in the principle of self-determination would be demonstrated more impressively by conceding the repeated demonstration for independence by the three and a half million inhabitants of the Philippines, than by passing resolutions in the senate expressing sympathy with the cause of Irish independence," and whether "as a mark of respect for the Americans," the house of commons would be enabled to follow the precedent set by the senate by moving a resolution in sympathy with the Philippine demand for self-determination.

Andrew Bonar Law, replying for the government, said he had no information on the question, which did not seem to be one in which the British government was concerned.

Numerous other requisitions followed, and Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster Unionist Leader, asked whether it was not better for each country to leave the other alone.

Mr. Bonar Law replied he thought that, in other words, it was his answer.

Strikers Appeal to King George

Resolution is Sent to His Majesty on Behalf of Convicted Winnipeg Leaders

Winnipeg.—King George has been appealed to by the labor leaders' defence committee for the release of the convicted strike leaders.

A copy of a resolution passed at the recent convention has been forwarded to His Majesty and copies have also been sent to the minister of justice and the governor general of Canada. In the resolution it is claimed that the trades unions of the city voted for the strike and were therefore responsible for the same. There was no intention whatever to overthrow the existing forms of government and that an injustice has been done to labor and the men convicted.

To Relieve Prussians

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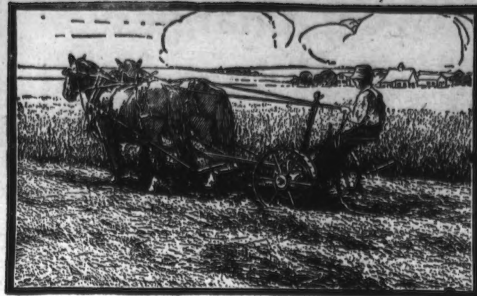
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Mothers Day will be observed next Sunday. The "Go to Sunday School movement is urging all to attend School that day. In honour of motherhood it is requested that all wear flowers red for the living and white for those who are beyond the veil.

News wanted for this column Boys! Girls! old Folks! If you know a bit of news Pass it on it was not meant for you alone Pass it on, Sorry we've no Thrift Stamps or Victory Bonds to give away on this deal—virtue is its own reward.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan McLeod's home coming dance in the Schoolhouse was a most enjoyable affair. Dancing was engaged in by old and young until morning and we hear the young folks who were on the floor for the first time had the time of lives. The evening concluded with Good Wishes expressed vocally as the entire company circled round the groom singing "Jolly Good Fellows". Here's how from the News to Mr. and Mrs. Dan.

Mr. Shiver has returned home to Iowa after a lengthy visit to his daughter, Mrs. Townsend. We had the pleasure of chatting with Mr. Shiver at the depot and heard at first hand his

opinion of our own particular brand of weather—here the roads take first prize for mud holes and the north wind doth blow and we shall have snow altho the calendar reisters the merry month of May.

The Stork is still on the wing and going strong in Compeer where he brought a fine gift to the Chater home twin daughters. On his last visit to Altario he left a fine big boy to Mr. and Mrs. Almond. Congratulations all round. Now that the Hospital is open the Stork expects to be busier than ever in this district.

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Canned whitefish from Lake Athabasca, in Northern Alberta, will likely be the next new idea in Alberta food products. Arrangements are under way for opening up the cannery on the far northern water, which is to form a part of the operations of the Mackenzie Basin Fisheries company. This concern was incorporated last year to take over the fishing interests of R. W. Jones on Lesser Slave Lake. The capital stock has been increased from \$100,000 to \$200,000, the intention being to prosecute the northern fisheries on an extensive scale, as well as Lake Athabasca. A cannery site has been secured on Lake Athabasca, and some of the new capital is to be used in getting a plant ready for operation as early as a date as may be found possible. The remoteness of the northern fishing grounds and the lack of transportation facilities at the present time, are reasons for the company's decision to establish a cannery, tinned fish being more easily taken to market under existing conditions.

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Naval Governor For New Zealand

Viscount Jellicoe is Appointed Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of Dominion

The Colonial office has announced that His Majesty King George has been pleased to appoint Admiral of Fleet Viscount Jellicoe to be Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of New Zealand, in succession of the Earl of Liverpool, who will shortly retire from that office. Lord Jellicoe was very warmly received in New Zealand last year during his naval tour, where he spent about six weeks.

In discussing Lord Liverpool's successor, the chief government newspaper, The Dominion, urged the appointment of an admiral in view of New Zealand's naval policy.

"There is obviously no reason why the King's representative should necessarily be an earl or a baron, as has been the case for the last thirty years," declares The Dominion, "and there is even less reason why the post should be used as a jumping-off place for the peerage by British party politicians. New Zealand does not want a purely ornamental governor-general, nor yet one with an ingrained and life-long habit of having a finger in the political pie." The Journal adds that a senior officer of the navy would make a good governor, since he could give some expert advice on naval defence.

The nomination method of appointing governors seems to suit the present organization of the Empire. But the governor ought to be a man of infinite tact, conscious that he occupies a somewhat anomalous position. He may have influence, but he must not try to rule. New Zealand has had governors of many types, and it has liked some of them much better than others. The governor who would be intolerable would be he who imagined that Downing Street had given him authority to direct the public affairs of the Dominion.

Americans Secure B.C. Timber Limits

Michigan interest are reported to have acquired timber limits from the East Kootenay Lumber Co. to the extent of 500,000,000 feet, and will operate a pulp and milling business at Wattsburg or Cranbrook. The mill capacity in the neighborhood of this point is 1,000,000 feet a day at present.

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Ambassador For Dominion

Canada Will Likely Have Own Representative in U. S.

Discussions are in progress between the United States and Great Britain which give substantial promise of ending in an agreement by which Canada will be represented in Washington by a diplomatic agent of high rank.

Such representation is understood to be desired keenly both by Canada and the United States and to be unopposed by Great Britain. The conversations on the subject are described as being actuated by the wish of all concerned to facilitate negotiations between Canada and the United States on question in which Great Britain is interested only by the fact that Canada is one of her Dominions. So far as can be learned, the only difficulty that has been encountered to date is in fixing the exact status and rank that the diplomat would have and in determining in advance so as to avoid any chance of friction concerning the relations that he would bear to the British ambassador in Washington. The prospects are that the Canadian representative would have wide freedom of action in matters directly affecting the Dominion. A decision on this point may be expected soon.

Subjects of interest common to the United States and Canada at present frequently meet with long delays in settlement because of the circuitous route they have to follow in the process of negotiation through the British embassy. If a direct exchange of views might be arranged, it is thought by many officials, that much benefit would be derived by the United States and Canada and, indirectly, by Great Britain.

The duties would correspond in a large part with those of a high commissioner, and this is the title that may be given the new representative. During the war, Sir Richard Crawford, as a commercial attaché of the British embassy, had Canadian possessions directly under his supervision, and was able to render an important service in the relations between the United States and Canada. It was partly because attention was called to the greater advantage of closer relations between the two countries that the proposal for an

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Black Mare white face and
stockings. Weight 1100 lbs.
Bay Mare weight 1300 lbs.
light under belly.
2 bay yearlings "gelding"
coming 2 this spring, white
stockings and stars.
1 iron gray yearling "gelding"
coming 2 one eye gone.
1 bay gelding coming 3 this
spring.

Everything is branded 3 right
shoulder very faint brand. One
big mare is also distinct-
ly branded 6 on left leg. Notify
H. J. McIntire 15-34-5
19 ft up.

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